In the Claims:

This listing of claims will replace all prior versions, and listings, of claims in the application:

Listing of Claims:

1-16. (Canceled).

17. (Canceled)

18. (Canceled)

19. (Canceled)

20. (Canceled)

21. (Canceled)

22. (Currently Amended) A blender blade for comminuting solid material in a blender pitcher, the blender blade comprising a first wing, a second wing opposed to said first wing, said first wing and said second wing not being coplanar and defining a one-piece metal blade capable of being mounted to the interior base of a blender pitcher for rotation about a vertical axis, a leading edge and a trailing edge located along each said wing, said leading edges facing the direction of rotation for comminuting a solid material, and a wing flap extending downwardly from each said trailing edge at an angle relative to said wing defining a flap angle, said wing flap canted radially inwardly relative to each said leading edge to define a canted angle, wherein said flap angle controls axial flow of said comminuted solid material and said canted angle controls radial flow of said comminuted solid material.

23. (Canceled)

24. (Canceled)

25. (Currently Amended) ~~The~~ A blender blade ~~of claim 24 wherein said second wing is~~ for comminuting solid material in a blender pitcher, the blender blade comprising a first wing positioned in a substantially horizontal plane, a second wing opposed to said first wing and positioned in a plane angled above said horizontal plane, said first wing and said second wing defining a one-piece metal blade capable of being mounted to the interior base of a blender pitcher for rotation about a vertical axis, a leading edge and a trailing edge located along each said wing, said leading edges facing the direction of rotation for comminuting a solid material, and a wing flap extending downwardly from each said trailing edge at an angle relative to said wing defining a flap angle, said wing flap canted radially inwardly relative to each said leading edge to define a canted angle, wherein said flap angle controls axial flow of said comminuted solid material and said canted angle controls radial flow of said comminuted solid material.